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Dear Mr. Hamblett:

The TELEGRAPH's 26 September 1986 editorial
"Let the CIA Decide?" came to my attention. A
copy is attached.

This editorial misrepresents Mr. Casey's
views on the relationship between national
security and the media. Also attached is a copy
of Director Casey's interview with the
"Washington Journalism Review" in July which
deals with this problem. I hope you and your
staff will find it of interest.

Sincerely,

George V. Lauder
Director, Public Affairs

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